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Dear Friend of Small Business:

The U.S. Small Business Administration cordially invites you to be our guest at the **50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Luncheon on Monday, April 5**, from 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm. The luncheon will be held at the Denver Center for Performing Arts complex, Donald R. Seawell Grand Ballroom, 1245 Champa, Denver, CO 80204. Check-in for the luncheon will begin at 11:00am.

With a theme of "SBA's Economic Growth Tour: Listening to America's Job Creators," the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Luncheon will provide an opportunity for small business owners, small business resource partners, community leaders and elected officials from the area to gather together to discuss the challenges and opportunities for small businesses throughout America. The luncheon is a great chance for small business owners to voice their opinions and come together to find workable solutions to the problems facing small businesses. At the conclusion of similar events held throughout the country, the SBA will prepare a report on the suggestions, ideas and common goals of America's small business owners, giving them the opportunity to have an influence on public policy.

The luncheon will feature SBA Administrator Hector Barreto and other special guests.

There is no charge for the event but you **must** register by **Wednesday, March 31**. **Please note space is limited to the first 300 pre-registrants.** To register, please contact **Jay Edwards**, by phone at **(303) 844-2607 X 231** or email at [joseph.edwards@sba.gov](mailto:joseph.edwards@sba.gov). You may also **fax** this letter back to **(303) 844-0506**.

Please join us as we celebrate SBA's 50 years of assisting the nation's small businesses.

Sincerely,

**Elton W. Ringsak**  
Regional Administrator  
Region XIII

**Steven F. Despain**  
District Director  
Wyoming District Office

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**PLEASE FAX YOUR RESPONSE TO (303) 844-0506: ATTN: CHRIS CHAVEZ, SBA PUBLIC AFFAIRS**

**I WILL \_\_\_\_ WILL NOT \_\_\_\_ ATTEND THE SBA 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY LUNCH ON APRIL 5<sup>TH</sup> IN DENVER.**

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